

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q79921

Hideya TAKEO

Appln. No.: 10/779,841

Group Art Unit: 2624

Confirmation No.: 9436

Examiner: Seyed H. AZARIAN

Filed: February 18, 2004

For: ABNORMAL SHADOW DETECTING METHOD, ABNORMAL SHADOW  
DETECTING SYSTEM AND ABNORMAL SHADOW DETECTING PROGRAM

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of April 10, 2007 to August 10, 2007.

The statutory fee of \$120.00 is being charged to Deposit Account 19-4880 via EFS-Web Payment screen. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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